# THE INAUGURATION

GRANT AND WILSON.

### YESTERDAY'S PAGEANT

Civio and Military Pro-

10,000 People in Line.

A Great Popular De-

Imposing Scene at the

#### GEN. GRANT'S INAUBURAL.

The Policy of the New Ad

Vice President Wilson'

## THE CITY LAST NIGHT.

Magnificent Display of Fire

#### PEHNSYLVANIA AVENUE THRONGED

General Jubilation-100,00 People in the Streets-

persons of every social grade, were most orderly, and nothing of condoor that would offend decatery at any time or place during the passing of the precession was to be found. About the Capy the precession was to the found. About the Capy to the impressiveness of the consistency of the precession was to their good behavier, and to the consistency of the precession of adding by their respectable bearing to the impressiveness of the consistency.

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intions appearance of the members of both House, there was nothing to ame the simplicity of the scene save the black roles of Chief Justice Chase, who seemed righter an executioner than a judge, as he rose to atminister the oath of office. An anthusiastic besier of a toru and tattered battle-flag urged his way through the growth and waved has oders almost in the Fresident's face as he read his address. Although he coal in a loud voice, and with remarkably dear alterance, those who were nearest to him sould not hear. It seemed sufficient, however, for the vast assemblings to see their chosen leader, and as he closed and resumed his seat the air was filled with hats, caps and even boniets and veils. Thus in less than three-quarters of an hour the first term of U. 8, Grant as President the first term of U. 8, Grant as President of the United States was ended, and the second began.

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OUT-WIDE THE CAPITOI.

The secens outside the Capitoi were of the gradest and most imposing character, and yet hap were relieved by many humorous incidents, same of which are mentioned further on. Kvery surrounding was in perfect character with the interest state-hing to the proceedings. The portscoop of the sastern front of the Senate and Longe winzs were maniposed. The hearte and

nd gentlemes down to the and.

THE TLATFORM.

Parallel with the central castern entrance to the Ranges as platform was built out some first present the covering the flight of steps. From the ground it was completely covas railing to the ground it was completely covered with new and very orillant American magnard within the railing over 500 chairs were place or the accommodation of distinguished greess distinguished the platform, and near the front railing

thinksy the phatorm, and near the front resiling, an ordinary mahogany table, covered with green eather, was placed, and in front of that ground the consumer washing and the front of that ground with the construction of the char is of mahogany, plain in its construction, uphotsiered with lark mather, fasteried all ground with those arge-headed, oli-fashioned brass patie.

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was stationed at the southeast corner of the Capitol for the jurpose of firing the saintee. The Old Guard, as they came upon the ground and took up their position on the right of the cadeta and in rear of the Second regiment of artillery, presented the strongest contrasts, and were greatly praised.

OUR OWN CITIES SOLDMENT, now completeous in the open space, made a most creditable appearance and marched with so much precision as to gain anniance.

under command of Colonel John M. Bacon, cre-sted a remarkably fine impression smoong the speciators. It included the Albany Burgess Corps, who looked very comfortable in their thick warm overcoats and bearskin caps heside the thinly-cted and shivering cateta; the Wash-ington Geys of Pitladelphia; the Sumner Corps of Syrasuse; the Meaumental Greys of Batt-more; Duquesne Greys of Pitlaburg, and the State Pencibles of Pitladelphia, Every move-ment of these troops was closely watch-d, and on all sides they received encomiums rion and fast.

made a fine appearance, but he absence of the fit Connecticut regiment, detained nineteen hours on the road, was much regretted. This splendid regiment arrived, however, in time to march up the Avenue Just behind the procession and to pass in review before the President. Their fine marching and soldierly bearing were the them so fevery tongue. On account of the non-arrival of the regiment in time to take part in the procession, the President with, as a special mark of favor, review them to-day at 11 o'clock. THE CUTYO portion of the escors how came on the ground, and it is but just to may that, being largely composed of men who have seen service in actual war, its marching, connice-marching and formation in lines were all as regular as though they had been uniformed.

THE HARTRANTT CLUB

The minth division contained The minth division contained of early wars and heroes of battle-fields in Mexico. They followed the floating strains that warriows love and proudly recalled their achievements, contributing much to the power and grandeur of the country to-day.

THE ORFIGING OF PERD CONNAIDES WERE ALONG IN this division, contrades whose quick made graves are deep in ,ocean or in earth. As the orphans came up every eye was strained to catch sight of them; many a tear fell to the ground in remembrance of their fathers' sacriace, and many a tong fell to the ground in remembrance of their fathers' sacriace, and many a tong fell to the ground in remembrance of their fathers' sacriace, and many a though survey the mind that does, and many a thought entered the mind that from the ramparts of the skies those bright spirits which ascended to Heaven from the lattic-flebs of the rebellion looked down upon the scene with immortal pride.

THE UNION WAR NOW CONTLETE.
The citizen soldiery of the North, the Bouth, the East and the West and civilian dignitaries from all sections made up one of the grandest andleanes king or president ever had the honor of addressing.
The troops viel with each other in decoration and drill, and gave expression of that CONGROUND AND PROVEN POWER WHICH IS THE PROVENT OF THE PROPERTY OF T

it pervaded the glittering cavalry and "awift-footed" infantry, and it shone like a halo around many a scarred face.

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Notwithstanding the bitter cool and the bitting
blasts the spinnish assemblage waited for a full
hour for the appearance of Grant and Wilson,
the chief and contral figures in honor of whose
popular exhibition the great quadramata celebration was enjoyed; and for a moment the rebration was enjoyed; and for a moment the re-

of the great western republic, but to keep them selves warm various devices were reserved to. For a time the swinging of arms shd the stamping of feet was increasing to the movements were all vain in the piercing cold.

the line assigned to them as hard as they could go. Like the cadetr, they were without over-coats, and suffered intensely.

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selected partners from the Monumental Grays
of Baitimore, and flow about over their ground
In a very lively but regular walts.

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improvised an Indian corn dance, which afforded
them not only an opportunity to display their
skill but gave them the violent exercise they
wanted. And so among them all they contrived
to keep from freesing to death, but the sight in
the platform room after is o'clock of the

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WAS A most joyful one, and fromd expression in
hearly cheers. Mr. Nioniay was followed by the
Justices of the Supreme Court, headed by the
venerable Chief Justice. Then came Mr. French,
Sergeant-al-Arms of the Senate, the Rematerial

committee of arrangements, and next the
PRINTERS OF THE UNITED STATES
and the Vice President with the Secretary of the
Senate, and then the Senate in a body; the
Biplomatic Corps, in full court uniforms and
decerated with all their medals and insignia of
honor. Following these were the Cabinet and
Reads of Departments, members of Congress
and invited guests.
The President quietty took his seat in

washinoron's cuain, and of whom he has proved himself a worthy

successor.

Mrs. Grant and other members of the President's family were also seated on the platform, with Mrs. Hamilton Fish and many other ladice eminent for their high social position.

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and three of the former States of the Union had and three of the former States of the Union had not been restored to their Federal relation. It seemed to me wise that no new questions should be raked so long as that condition of af-lairs existed; therefore, the past four years, so far as I could control events, have been con-sumed in the effort to restore harmony, public

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committed, so far as Executive influence avail, Social equality is not a subject to be legisla spon, nor shall I sak that snything be done arrance the social status of the colored in scoopt to give him a fair chance in develop we here is good in him; give him socials to ache and when he travels let him feet assured that conduct will regulate the treatment and fare will receive.

In the first year of the past administration the proposition came up for the admission of Santo Domingo as a Territory of the Union. It was not a question of my seeking, but was a proposition from the people of Santo Domingo, and which I entertained. I testieve now, as I dit heek, that it was for the test interests of this country, for the people of Santo Domingo, and all concerned that the proposition snould be received favorably. It was, however, edge[edge] constitutionally, and therefore the subject face of the people of Santo Lomingo, and all concerned that the proposition snould be received favorably. It was, however, edge[edge] constitutionally, and therefore the subject may adopt the subject of acquisition of testinory must have the support of the people before I will recommissed any proposition looking to such acquisition. I say here, however, that I do not share in the approximation head by many as to the stanger of governments becoming weaksnoot and destroyed In the first year of the past administration the

governments becoming weakened and de-ny reason of their extension of territory, merce, education and rapid transit of t and matter, by telegraph and resum changed all this. Hather do I believe to

My efforts in the future will be di-restoration of good feeling between the world's standard on va-this to a par with it; to the proutes of transit through possible to a par with it to the on cheap routes of transit throughout the end that the products of all dad a market and leave a living ren-the producer; to the maintenance of intions with all our neighbors and re-

and treatment? If the and treatment of faith, we will stand better before the cold nations of the earth and in our own

good faith, we will wand better before the civilised nations of the earth and in our own consciences for having made it.

All those things are not to be accomplished by
one individual, but they will receive inf an poet,
and such recommendations to Congress as will,
in my judgment, best serve to carry them into
effect. I beg your support and encouragement.
It has been and is my sarmest desire to correct
abuses that have grown up in the civil service
of the country. To scare this reformation,
rules regulating mothods of appointment and
promotion were established and have been tried.
My efforts for such reformation shall be continued to the best of my judgment. The spirit of
the rules adopted will be maintained.
I acknowledge before this assemblage, representing as it does every section of our country,
the obligation I am under to my countrymen for
the great boson they have conferred on me by
returning me to the highest office within their
gift, and the farther obligation reside on the torender to them the best services within my
power. This I promise, blooking forward with
the greatest anxiety to the day when I shall be
released from the responsibilities that at times
are slimest overwhelming, and from which I have
securely lad a reside since the eventual fining
apper fort Sumter in April, 184, to tan present
day, My services were the remained. ed under the first call for froups growing out of that event. I did not ask for pince or position, and was entirely without induces out the acquaint-ance of persons of infinence, but was resolved to perform my part in stringies threatening the very exhibitors of the nation. I performed a consci-nition duty, without asking promotion or com-entions duty, without asking promotion or com-

dent's family were also scated on the platform, with Mrs. Hamilton Fish and many other lastice minimate for their high social position.

THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE OATH.

At 1229 o'clock the Chief Fustion rose, and with him President Grant and all persons on the platform. Kerry goutenam uncovered, and the oath was solomally taxen, the President repeating after the Chief Justice, sentence by sentence.

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